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## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$1,000,000  
Reserve Fund, \$4,400,000  
Revenue Liability, \$7,500,000

#### COURT OF DIRECTORS.

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#### CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, August 24, 1889. 363

## NOTICE.

### THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 5; Saturdays, 10 to 1.  
2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.  
3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having deposits of TEN DOLLARS per Share in the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.  
4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.  
5.—Each depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.  
6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.  
7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

#### For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 1889. 754

## Intimations.

### CATHAY CHAPTER, No. 1165.

A Regular CONVOCACTION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the Freemasons' Hall, Zealand Street, on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, October 19, 1889. 2006

## THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IT is hereby notified that a CALL of (\$4) FOUR DOLLARS per SHARE is payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, on or before the 18th November, 1889.

By Order of the Board of Directors, CHAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, October 15, 1889. 1992

## Intimations.

### LETTERS PATENT.

In the Matter of the Petition of MELVILLE THOMPSON, KEALE, BROWNE, and JOHN HENRY SMITH, Agents, in the County of Middlesex, England, for the Letters Patent, for the exclusive use within the Colony of Hongkong, of the following Invention for—  
MEANS AND APPARATUS FOR SIGNALLING DURING FOG OR HAZY WEATHER, AND SPECIALLY CONSTRUCTED FOR GENERAL SIGNALING PURPOSES AT SEA WHETHER FROM MOVABLE OR FIXED STRUCTURES SUCH AS SHIPS, BOATS, OR TUGS, LIKE, For which Her Majesty's Royal Letters Patent were granted on the 11th day of February, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Petition, Specification and Declaration required herein by Ordinance No. 14 of 1882, have been duly filed in the Office of the Colonial Secretary, at Hongkong, and that it is the intention of the said MELVILLE THOMPSON, KEALE, BROWNE, and JOHN HENRY SMITH, by their duly-authorized Agents and Attorneys, to apply at the sitting of the Executive Council hereinafter mentioned for LETTERS PATENT for the exclusive use within the said Colony of Hongkong of the above-named Invention.

And, NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a sitting of the Executive Council, before whom the matter of the Petition will come for decision, will be held in the Council Chamber, at the Government Offices, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of October, 1889, at 11 a.m.

#### ARATHOON SETH,

Clerk of the Council. Hongkong, 19th October, 1889. 2011

## NOTICE.

### HONGKONG AND WHARF DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Under-signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

#### D. GILLIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1888. 1458

## HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1888.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to Furnish the Under-signed with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS reserved for Contributions may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the THIRTIETH DAY of NOVEMBER next, will be adjusted by the Company, and Claims for Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

#### JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. Hongkong, October 15, 1889. 1977

## THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of TEN DOLLARS per Share is hereby made and is payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, as follows:—  
FIVE DOLLARS per Share on the 15th November, 1889.  
FIVE DOLLARS per Share on the 15th February, 1890.

INTEREST at the Rate of 12½ per Annum will be chargeable on all Calls unpaid on due dates.

#### J. WHEELLEY,

Secretary. Hongkong, October 10, 1889. 1949

## LOST.

THE Undersigned 100 SHARES of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, being the Property of the Undersigned, having been LOST, the Public are warned against negotiating same.

50 Shares, Scrip No. Nos. of Shares, B2091, 3465/6, 4645/52, L. MEXDEL, 21341/55, 14389/92, 51692/712  
10 Shares, B2099, 2920/3989  
25 Shares, B2134, 63909/23, 67342/46, W. D. SPENCE, 1406/10  
15 Shares, B2260, 27918/27032, W. H. GASKELL

100 Shares. The TRANSFER of these SHARES has been STOPPED at the Bank.

#### H. N. MODY,

Hongkong, September 9, 1889. 1784

## DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

#### MR. WONG TAI-PONG,

Surgeon Dentist. (Formerly a qualified Apprentice and lately Assistant to Dr. ROBERTS.) At the urgent request of his European and American Patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE, formerly occupied by Dr. ROBERTS.

#### No. 2, DUNDRELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE. Discount in medicinal and dental. Sole Address. 2, DUNDRELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.) Hongkong, January 19, 1889. 54

## Business Notices.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

A NEW SHIPMENT OF  
**PIANOS by Haake,**  
IRON FRAMES, SOLID CASES,  
Specially constructed for the Climate,  
\$300 and upwards.

AN EXCELLENT SELECTION OF  
**COLLARD & COLLARD PIANOS,**  
COTTAGES AND SEMI-GRANDS,  
Specially constructed for the Climate,  
NEW MODELS, \$350 and upwards.

A New Stock of Music.  
**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 11, 1889. 1992

### W. POWELL & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED EX STEAMSHIP BARFORD.  
AN ENTIRELY NEW STOCK OF  
KEROSENE AND COAL HEATING STOVES,  
very suitable for Drying Rooms;  
Also,  
KEROSENE AND COAL COOKING STOVES  
in all Sizes.

W. POWELL & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, October 4, 1889. 1915

### ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.  
WE HAVE JUST OPENED OUT OUR  
NEW AUTUMN GOODS,  
consisting of  
A LARGE and CHOICE SELECTION of COATINGS for MORNING and EVENING DRESS.  
A very Stylish Lot of TWEEDS, New in Design and Material, and a varied Assortment of TROUSERS in all the Newest Patterns.

QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite HONGKONG HOTEL),  
Hongkong, September 14, 1889. 1790

### Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.  
THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony, and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, BREAKING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

MESSRS. DURABEE & HING KEE, Proprietors. Hongkong, September 16, 1889. 1612

### Intimations.

#### HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE Annual General Meeting of the MEMBERS of the JOCKEY CLUB will take place in the CHAMBERS of COMMERCE, City Hall, on WEDNESDAY, 30th October, at 4 p.m.  
By Order,  
E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, October 16, 1889. 1989

#### GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with the Articles of Association of the above-named Company, SHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that a CALL of \$20 (Twenty Dollars) per Share is payable at the Registered Office of the above Company, No. 62, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on or before the 31st October, 1889. INTEREST at the rate of 12 per Cent. per Annum will be charged on UNPAID CALLS from the 31st October, 1889.

Dated Hongkong, 17th October, 1889. C. EVANS, General Manager. 1994

### ROWLANDS' KALYDOR.

Rowlands' KALYDOR is a most valuable and reliable medicine for the treatment of all kinds of skin diseases, including eczema, psoriasis, and other eruptions. It is a most valuable and reliable medicine for the treatment of all kinds of skin diseases, including eczema, psoriasis, and other eruptions.

### MACASSAR OIL.

Wholesale and Retail Agents for China: A. S. WATSON & Co., Shanghai. 1239

### HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LTD.

WEEK DAYS.  
8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour.  
12 to 2 p.m. half hour.  
4 to 8 p.m. every quarter of an hour.

THURSDAYS.  
NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 p.m.

SUNDAYS.  
10.40 a.m.; 12 to 1.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour.  
4 to 8 p.m. every quarter of an hour.  
9.10, 10.30 and 11 p.m.  
Special CARS may be obtained on application to the SUPERINTENDENT.

Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office. MAOWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, May 1, 1889. 621

## Intimations.

### THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Statutory MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 2, D'Almeida Street, on THURSDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon.

By Order of the Directors, J. A. BARRETTO, Secretary. Hongkong, October 9, 1889. 1944

## HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE 2ND SEASONS of the THIRD COMPETITION will be shot off NEXT SATURDAY, 26th Instant, at 2.45 p.m., commencing at 900 Yards. Entries for this Stage close on Friday next, 25th Instant, at 5 p.m. ENTRANCE FEE 30 CENTS.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2016

## HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Under-mentioned BANK SHARE CERTIFICATES viz:—  
No. B 2071, 3465/66, 4645/52, 21341/55, 14389/92 & 51692/712 50 Shares  
No. B 2090, 3280/3289, 12134, 33909/23, 5734, 46 10 " 1406/10 25 " 1406/10 15 " in the name of W. D. SPENCE, No. B 2260, 27918/27932 15 " in the name of W. H. GASKELL

together with ONE HUNDRED SHARES, HAVE BEEN LOST, and should the same not be produced before the Thirty-first day of December next, NEW CERTIFICATES will be issued to the said L. MEXDEL, W. D. SPENCE and W. H. GASKELL respectively, and the aforesaid Certificates B 2071, B 2090, B 2260 and B 2260, will be thereafter treated by this Corporation as null and void.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. Hongkong, October 1, 1889. 1899

## THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED AND REDUCED.

### REDUCTION OF CAPITAL.

THE RETURN of CAPITAL will be made, on and after TO-MORROW, the 18th Instant, and Orders on the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation (which will be payable to those Persons who were registered as Shareholders on the 22nd of July last) will be issued in exchange for Scrip.

EDWARD OSBORNE, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, October 17, 1889. 1993

### CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silver Smiths, Nautical Scientific and Meteorological INSTRUMENTS.

VOLTAIRE'S CALCULATED BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES, KEPLER'S LUNAR and OTHER COMPASS, ADMIRALTY & IMARV CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS, English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware, Christmas & Co's Electro-Plated Ware, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in great variety.

DIAMONDS & JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest London Patterns, at very moderate prices. 742

No. 73, WYNDHAM STREET, BOARD AND RESIDENCE, COMFORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. MODERATE TERMS. MRS. KJELLER, Proprietress. Hongkong, July 15, 1889. 13.5

### THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, \$5,000,000  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, 2,500,000  
RESERVE FUND, 1,250,000

Board of Directors: Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman; Hon. C. P. CHATEL, Vice-Chairman; E. A. SOLOMON, Esq., J. S. MOSES, Esq., S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq., G. E. NOBLE, Esq., LEE SING, Esq., POON PONG, Esq.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LTD. Hongkong, October 14, 1889. 1974

## TO LET.

HOUSE No. 2, 'SMITH'S VILLAS,' Magazine Gap, a spacious Five Roomed House, with Bathroom and Out-house. Excellent view. Expected to be ready 1st August next.

Apply to F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1889. 1284

## TO LET.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED. 'WELLBURN' (PEAK). Possession from 1st November. (See laid on.) Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD. Hongkong, October 14, 1889. 1974

## TO LET.

HOUSES Nos. 1 & 2, 'CAMERON VILLAS,' Peak. One Spacious Five-Roomed House at Mount Kellet Peak. Gas laid on. NEW HOUSES on 'BELLISSE TERRACE,' Robinson Road.

Apply to BELLIOS & Co. Hongkong, October 16, 1889. 198

## TO LET.

ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS,' No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1889. 632

## TO LET.

2ND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, and GROUND FLOOR of HOUSE No. 68, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Apply to LAL HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, July 1, 1889. 1267

## INSURANCES.

THE Under-signed, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

NURTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, July 16, 1887. 1210

## Shipping.

### Steamers.

#### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHOW, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co's Steamship Kaitang, Captain KONG, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2005

#### COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co's Steamship Djinnah, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about THURSDAY, the 24th Instant.

G. de CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, October 19, 1889. 2005

#### THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co's Steamship Opaich, C. H. KEMP, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 24th Instant.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARRBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 17, 1889. 2008

#### STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co's Steamship Alceda, Captain W. D. MUNIE, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at Daylight.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co's Office, Hongkong, October 12, 1889. 1960

#### FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Bellona, Captain O. HANCOCK, will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIMONSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2010

#### THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON.

The Co's Steamship J. S. HOOG, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 29th Instant. This Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight, &c., apply to ARNHOLD, KARRBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2009

## Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.L.I. American Ship Sea Witch, Captain H. W. Master, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2014

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.L.I. British Barque Robert S. Benson, Captain H. W. Master, will leave here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 12, 1889. 1775

## Notices to Consignees.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP PORT FAIRY, FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA, AND KOBE.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. ADAMSUN, DELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 18, 1889. 2000



## To-day's Advertisements.

**THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL.**

## MILITARY ENTERTAINMENTS.

**GRAND ASSAULT** at ARMS by the LORNE ATHLETIC CLUB of PRINCESS LOUIS, Arg. & South Highlanders, MILITARY EXERCISES, HIGHLAND DANCING, And a SERVE representing Life on active service by N. O. Officers and Men of the Battalion.

The BAND will play during the Performances, which will take place as follows—

## SATURDAY EVENING,

16th November, 1889,  
Under the Patronage of H. E. Sir G. W. DES VEOUX, K.C.M.G.

## TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 19th Nov.,

## WEDNESDAY EVENING, 20th Nov.

Reserved Seats.....\$2  
Remaining Seats.....\$1  
Soldiers and Sailors uniform 25 Cents.

Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, where a Plan of the Seats can be seen.

Any Surplus, will be devoted to Local Military, and other Charitable Institutions.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2021

## THE CHINESE AMUSEMENTS SYNDICATE, LIMITED.

ON Account of the weather, the OPENING DAY has been POSTPONED to SATURDAY, the 26th Instant, at 2 p.m.

J. A. HARRIS, Secretary.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2020

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship *Thales*, Captain HUNTER, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2019

## FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship *Amoy*, Captain LEHMANN, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2029

## THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK.

The Company's Steamer *Chow Pei*, Capt. W. W. FAIRBANKS, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2026

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship *Orestes*, Capt. HURDISON, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 27th Instant.

Passengers for ENROUTE desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to Marseilles (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to PARIS or LONDON. Agents are 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to London occupies about the same time.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2017

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, OHKOW, NEW OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.)

The Co.'s Steamship *Eden*, Captain JONES, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 30th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2028

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## To-day's Advertisements.

WANTED, for S.S. *Bellevue*, Third and Fourth OFFICERS. Apply on Board by 10 a.m. TO-MORROW, 23rd Inst. Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2022

## ST. JOHN LODGE

OF HONGKONG,  
No. 618, S.C.

AN Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FRERES' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW (Wednesday), at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially INVITED.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2024

## ZETLAND LODGE

No. 625.

AN Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FRERES' HALL, Zetland Street, on THURSDAY NEXT, the 24th Instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially INVITED.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2027

## HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

A MATCH between A to L and M to Z will be commenced at 11 a.m. on SATURDAY, the 26th October. Members willing to play will please give their Names, either on the List lying on the Table in the Club Ante-room or on the Club in the Cricket Pavilion, on or before 4 p.m. on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2023

## FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Almorah*, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 5th November, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2018

## FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Daphne*, Captain J. Voss, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-MORROW, the 23rd Instant.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the KOWLOON PIER and GODOWN Co. and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left our Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th Inst. will be subject to rent.

All broken, stained, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 28th Inst. at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2026

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:

AMPHITRITE, German ship, Captain R. Bouché—Order.

E. GRAHAM, British barque, Captain C. Hodge—Adams, Bell & Co.

MARABOUT, British ship, Capt. Ferguson—Adams, Bell & Co.

NELLIE M. STANE, American barquentine, Capt. Julia C. Teixeira—Captain.

OCIDENTAL, American ship, Captain W. Taylor—Reuter Bröckelmann & Co.

PENSHAW, British barque, Captain John Inokay—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

ROBERT S. BENNETT, British ship, Capt. Andrews—Adams, Bell & Co.

SATSUNA, British barque, Captain A. G. Swenson—Edward Schellhaas & Co.

## DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED.

CHEMISTS, MANUFACTURERS

## AERATED WATERS.

THE Factory is fitted with a powerful Steam Plant of the most complete and modern description. The whole process of manufacture is under the continuous supervision of a qualified English Chemist.

The following are manufactured daily:—AERATED WATER, PHOSPHORIC SODA-WATER, SELTZER, LEMONADE, LITHIA, GINGER ALE, SASSAPARILLA.

## Dakin's Quinine Tonic Water.

The peculiar blending of the bitter and sweet flavours in this palatable beverage, gives it a distinctive character.

The Quinine contained in solution, has a decided influence in preventing malarial fever.

## DAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA, LIMITED.

LONDON—HONGKONG—AMOY.

Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2012

## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

October 21, 1889:

*Almorah*, British steamer, 1,728 Alex. Hay, Sourabaya via Ports, September 30, Sugar—JARDINE, MATHESON.

## Business Notices.

## THE HALL &amp; HOLTZ

CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

1889. AUTUMN 1889.

## NOVELTIES

IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.

1889. WINTER 1889.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE LTD

Hongkong, October 16, 1889.

## STOCK LIST—OCTOBER 22, 1889

Stocks	No. of Shares	Value	Pos. up.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp., Ltd.	80,000	\$ 125	all	184, cash.
Chinese Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,000	250	50	\$123, buyers
China Trading Insurance Co., Ltd.	25,000	83.33	25	77, buyers
Chinese Insurance Co., Ltd.	1,500	1,000	200	\$160, nominal
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	200	50	174, 350
Union Insurance Society Co., Ltd.	30,000	100	20	\$23
Yung Sing Insurance Association, Ltd.	10,000	250	25	\$110
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	20	\$85
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	250	50	\$32
Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	20	\$19
VIET AND MARINE INSURANCE.				
Singapore Insurance Company, Ltd.	40,000	100	20	\$16, nom.

## HONGKONG &amp; WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

TELEPHONE.

China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited

I. K. O. and M. Steamship Co., Ltd.

Yale China S. S. Company, Limited

Steam Launch Company, Limited

CHINA SUGAR COMPANY, LIMITED.

Lauzon Sugar Company, Limited.

H. K. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.

LAND AND BUILDING.

Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited.

Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited.

Peak Building Company, Limited.

Richmond Terrace Building Co., Limited.

Shanghai Land Company, Limited.

West Point Building Co., Limited.

TRAMWAYS.

H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.

Jolebi Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.

Pungon & Sengcho Dua Siam Co., Ltd.

Mining Co., Ltd.

Selama Tin Mining Company, Limited.

H. G. Brown & Co., Limited.

Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin.

CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

Darvel Bay Trading Company, Ltd.

East Borneo Planting Co., Limited.

Labuk Planting Company, Limited.

Songat Koyah Planting Co., Ltd.

H. G. Brown & Co., Limited.

The Lauing Planting Co., Limited.

ROTELS, ETC.

Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited.

Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.

Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Ltd.

Borneo Hotel and Stores Co., Ltd.

DISPENSARIES.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.

Cruickshank & Co., Limited.

H. K. & Co., Ltd.

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited.

BRICK AND CEMENT.

Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.

Hongkong Brick & Cement Co., Ltd.

## POST OFFICE NOTICES.

## MAILS will close:—

For SWATOW & SHANGHAI—  
For Kowloon, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst.

For SAIGON—  
For Indragan, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst.

For EUROPE, &c., &c.—  
For S. S. *Zetland*, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., instead of as previously notified. (Late correspondence, with 10 cents late fee, may be posted in the Night Box at the Post Office till 9 p.m., after which it may be sent on board with the same late fee.)

For HOHLOW, TOUNG & QUINHOON.  
For Doris, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO.  
For *Thales*, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 23rd inst.

For SANDAKAN & KUDAT—  
For *Memnon*, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 24th inst.

For FOCHOH, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & VANCOUVER—  
For *Batavia*, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 24th inst.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.  
For *Anzora*, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 24th inst.

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS—  
For *Bellona*, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 29th inst.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.—  
The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janeiro will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 26th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:—

0.15 p.m. Register closes.

0.30 p.m. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.—  
The German Contract Packet *Neckar* will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 26th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, and *Brindisi*, to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c.

Registry closes at 4 p.m.

The Mail closes at 9 p.m.

## MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.—

The French Contract Packet *Natal* will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd October, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australian Colonies, Pondicherry, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

## NOTES OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Packets leave at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 p.m. before departure.

8.00 a.m.—Posting of Presses Current and Circulars ceases.

(Presses Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way.)

10.00 a.m.—Registry ceases.

10.30 a.m.—Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patents ceases.

11.00 a.m.—Mail closes.

LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 a.m.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 a.m., after which hour they may be sent on board with the same late fee.

XMAS AND NEW YEAR PARCELS.—Parcels for the United Kingdom posted before 3 p.m. on Tuesday, November 5th will reach London about December 17th, and those posted before 3 p.m. on November 19th, will reach London about December 31st.

Senders of Parcels are requested to post them, if possible, a few days in advance.

PEAK DELIVERY.—Letters, &c., will be delivered by the 12 and 4 o'clock Trains only. Correspondence for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only, up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the Cars till time of departure.

Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only, up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m. Local Rates will be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders are requested to Cancel their Stamps by writing the word *Stamped* across them.

Covers containing Bank Notes, &c., should be registered.

Letters, Parcels, &c., for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 4 o'clock.

To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word *Stamped* across them.

Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery &c. should be registered.

There will be no Sunday delivery.

## General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, October 24.

Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Marine, Ltd., at No. 2, D'Agular Street.

5.30 p.m.—Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

FRIDAY, October 25.



I sent him to the bank and he got 2,800 cash for him. A little boy of eight years, standing by, turned to his father and said: 'Why, I thought you got 3,000 cash for him, and the matter seemed of no importance; beyond the price received to either of them. Wife-selling also prevails, but it is not very common; the parents are able to exercise a whole-some check in this matter, for in case of mistreatment they may accuse the husband

before the magistrate and make him pay for the  
dearly for the sake of the law. The man  
in the law. Ku which illustrates this.  
In these cases the second wife took opium from  
to spite her husband and died, and the magis-  
trates, being accused before the magistrate  
for the death of the wife, were obliged to pay  
a heavy sum for labouring men. The first  
called to attend a case in which the second  
wife sought to end her life with opium, and  
was only prevented doing so by my timely  
arrival. The second wife was a young girl  
called for the parent of his wife, and  
arranged with them to take the girl back to  
home, which they did for a slight con-  
sideration. The wife met me at the magis-  
trates' office, and I was obliged to resign at  
once, as the second wife was a young girl  
for opium is found in almost every household,  
and all know how to use it. A large  
majority of the opium cases are women.  
It is the custom to give a certain amount of money  
to the magistrate, and the second wife, for  
his wife, but it is not always true.  
suppose, that the amount given determines  
the esteem in which the wife is held. On  
braver bright and prettier than the first  
view, and she was the one who went out  
questioned said: "That is a slow woman."

She cost Ths. 150.' The husband being comparatively poor man, was certainly proud of his rather costly wife. It would be interesting to know whether this contributed to domestic felicity.—*Chinese Times.*

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SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE COD LIVER OIL WITH HYPROPHOSPHITES is prescribed by Physicians all over the world. It is a remarkable remedy for Consumption, scrofula and wasting diseases, and very palatable. Read the following:—'I have used this cod

Emulsion" in a case of impoverished blood with scrofulous disease, and found it to be a very efficient preparation. It was taken without the least difficulty."—A. TEMPLE PERKINS, 22, Lordship Park, Stoke Newington, N. Any Chemist can supply it. Watson & Co., (Limited), agents in Hong Kong and China.

**Quotations.**  
HONGKONG, October 22.  
PIPER—New Potatoes, cash... 5424

"	Old	"	cash,	5324
"	New Benares, cash,	"	535	
"	Old	"	cash,	—
"	New Malwa, cash,	"	570	
"	Allowance, Tael...	"	23/43	
"	Old Malwa, cash,	"	580/800	
"	Allowance, Tael...	"	23/56	
"	Persian, Oily, cash	"	500/520	
"	Allowance, Tael...	"	32/48	
"	Persian, Paper tied	"	610/530	
"	Allowance, Tael...	"	49/64	

**Exchange.**

HONGKONG, October 22.

On London—	
Bank, Wire, ... ..	3/1
" On demand, ... ..	3/1
" 30 days' sight, ... ..	3/1
" 4 months' sight, ... ..	3/1
Credit, 4 " " " " " "	3/2
Documentary, 4 months' sight	3/2
" Paris—	
On demand, ... ..	3.91
Credit, 4 months' sight, ... ..	3.90
On Berlin, demand, ... ..	3.16
On New York—	
On demand, ... ..	76
On 100 days' sight, ... ..	75

On Bombay—	Wire, ... ..	225½
On demand, ... ..	226	
On Calcutta—	Wire, ... ..	225½
On demand, ... ..	226	
On Shanghai—	On demand, ... ..	72½
	30 days sight, private, ... ..	73½
	Gold Leaf, 100 fine ... ..	\$33.60
	oversigns, ... ..	\$6.34

**Temperature.**

Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises		
Queen's Road,		
BAROMETER—	9 A.M. ....	30.00
Do.	1 P.M. ....	29.94
Do.	4 P.M. ....	29.94
Thermometer—	9 A.M. ....	78
Do.	1 P.M. ....	77
Do.	4 P.M. ....	76
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.M. ....	74
Do.	1 P.M. ....	75
Do.	4 P.M. ....	75
Do.	Maximum ....	77
Do.	Minimum over night ....	76

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.						
October 21.—AT 5 P.M.						
Station.	Barometer red. to sea level and 32° F.	Temperature.	Humidity.	Direction.	Force.	Weather.
Wl'oostock.	29.37	39	—	WNW	8	—
Tokio.	29.33	—	—	SW	—	—

Nagasaki...	29.90	—	—	x	4	—
Shanghai...	30.22	57	75	x	5	o
Amoy.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hongkong...	29.88	82	83	z	4	o
Hongkong...	29.81	66	68	z	4	o
Batavia....	29.84	85	79	n	2	b
Manila.....	29.81	85	81	x	1	cf
Anping....	—	—	—	—	—	—
October 22.—AT 10 A.M.						
Wl'ostock...	29.72	32	76	w	3	b
Tokio.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nagasaki...	30.10	—	—	n	2	—
Shanghai...	30.26	55	87	x	4	—

Amoy .....	29.09	78	82	ENE	5	o
Hongkong .....	29.09	79	76	ENE	4	o
Hsinchong .....	29.09	84	79	SE	2	o
Manila .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Anping .....	—	—	—	—	—	—

The barometer has risen in the N. and gradients are very steep for N.E. w. Overcast, damp and cooler weather with variable winds.

W. DOWNS,  
Director of the Observatory.

Hongkong Observatory, October 26, 1888

1. **BAROMETRIC**, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit, and to the level of the sea in inches, to tenths and hundredths.
2. **TEMPERATURE**, in the shade, to degrees Fahrenheit.
3. **HUMIDITY**, in percentage of saturation, humidity of air saturated with moisture, to 100.
4. **DIRECTION OF WIND**, to two points.
5. **FORMS OF WIND**, according to Beaufort Scale.
6. **STATE OF WEATHER**, from sky, as overcast clouds, 3 drizzling rain, 4 fog, 5 gloom, 6 lightning, 7 overcast, 8 passing clouds.

equally, v. rain, s. amny, t. thunder, s. with  
down. (weak)  
w. T. R. v. in (poor, tenth and hundredth)



